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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH**

CRM-M-17155-2021

Date of Decision: 23.04.2021

Ashwinder Jain

..... Petitioner

Vs.

State of Punjab

.....Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MR.JUSTICE AJAY TEWARI

Present :- Mr. Ishan Gupta, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Sandeep Vermani, Addl.A.G., Punjab.

AJAY TEWARI, J. (ORAL)

This is an application for grant of anticipatory bail to the petitioner in subsequently added Section 420 IPC in case FIR No.19 dated 16.02.2019 initially registered under Sections 465, 467, 468, 471 IPC at Police Station City-II, Malerkotla, District Sangrur.

The ground taken by the petitioner is that after interim bail was granted to the petitioner on 13.05.2019, now Section 420 IPC has been added in the challan dated 21.03.2021. The primary reason for granting bail to the petitioner was that the dispute is with regard to the Will of father of the petitioner in respect of which the civil proceedings are pending in this court being RSA No.1978 of 2003. This fact has not been denied by the Ld. Additional Advocate General.

In this view of the matter, without going into the merits of the case, I do not deem it appropriate to deny the prayer made. In the circumstances, it is directed that the anticipatory bail already granted to the petitioner shall enure even after the addition of Section 420 IPC subject to the same conditions as was laid down at the time of earlier bail. Bail to the satisfaction of the concerned C.J.M/Trial Court.

Petition stands allowed.

(AJAY TEWARI)
JUDGE

April 23, 2021
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Whether speaking/reasoned	Yes/No
Whether Reportable :	Yes/No